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1. (Amended) A computer-implemented method comprising:

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storing at least one acquisition specification of a first user represented in a scripting language that specifies acquisition requirements;

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parsing the acquisition specification into at least one purchase form comprising a plurality of attributes, at least one of which specifying a transactional action desired to be electronically completed by the first user;

receiving over the Internet and storing offering specification comprising at least one vendor form comprising a plurality of attributes, at least one of which specifying a transactional action desired to be electronically completed by a second user; and

electronically determining if the attributes in the purchase form are compatible with associated attributes in the vendor form by testing attributes in the purchase form against

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attributes in the vendor form for satisfiability using a compatibility dictionary, comprising a storage of sets of compatible terms associated with an automated completion of a transaction, wherein the step of testing comprises accessing the storage of the dictionary and determining whether the transactional action in the purchase form is compatible with the transactional action in the vendor form.

- 3. The method of claim 1 wherein the at least one offering specification comprises data represented by a scripting languages.
- 5. The method of claim 4 wherein the offering specification is received at the location where the personal page with at least one acquisition specification is stored.

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- 7. (Amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the acquisition specification comprises data related to at least one advertisement.
- 9. The method of claim 4 wherein voice recognition software is associated with the personal page and the acquisition specification is provided using voice input.
  - 10. The method of claim 4 wherein the acquisition specification is provided to the personal page using wireless communication.